

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION IX

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Mr. Thomas Macchiarella, Code 06CA.TM Department of the Navy Base Realignment and Closure Program Management Office West 1455 Frazee Road, Suite 900 San Diego, CA 92108-4310

Dear Mr. Macchiarella:

EPA hereby requests a fourteen (14) day extension for review of the Draft Proposed Plan for Operable Unit 5/Annex IR 02, as per my e-mail to you of November 25, 2005. The request is made under the provisions allowed in Section 10.7 (b)(2) of the Federal Facilities Agreement for Alameda Naval Air Station. The regulatory agencies received the document on October 31, 2005 and, including the extra 14 day review period, will therefore submit comments to the Navy on December 15, 2005.

Thank you for accommodating this request. Please call me at (415) 972-3029 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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